

University of Montana

ScholarWorks at University of Montana

University of Montana News Releases, 1928,
1956-present

University Relations

5-12-1978

Kress and Magnuson win UM alumni awards

University of Montana–Missoula. Office of University Relations

Follow this and additional works at: <https://scholarworks.umt.edu/newsreleases>

Let us know how access to this document benefits you.

Recommended Citation

University of Montana–Missoula. Office of University Relations, "Kress and Magnuson win UM alumni awards" (1978). *University of Montana News Releases, 1928, 1956-present*. 29412.
<https://scholarworks.umt.edu/newsreleases/29412>

This News Article is brought to you for free and open access by the University Relations at ScholarWorks at University of Montana. It has been accepted for inclusion in University of Montana News Releases, 1928, 1956-present by an authorized administrator of ScholarWorks at University of Montana. For more information, please contact scholarworks@mso.umt.edu.

IMMEDIATELY

KRESS AND MAGNUSON
WIN UM ALUMNI AWARDSwalser/gf
5/12/78
local, dailies, ht

MISSOULA--

University of Montana seniors Eric Kress and Rose Magnuson, both of Missoula, have been named winners of the UM Alumni Association's Award of Excellence.

Each will receive a \$250 award and a plaque from the Alumni Association for excelling beyond their academic pursuits and for achievements and service judged to be a credit to the UM student body, the University and the state. Nominations were accepted from faculty and staff at UM and the awards will be presented during the spring meeting of the Association Friday, May 12.

Kress, a chemistry major, studied in the National Science Foundation Undergraduate Research Participation program at Washington State University in the summer of 1977. In the fall of 1977 he spent a quarter at the University of Oregon under the National Student Exchange program.

Kress also has been a strong competitor in intercollegiate skiing and soccer. In skiing, he placed 10th in the slalom and 13th in the giant slalom events at the NCAA regional meet last season. He is one of three co-captains of the ASUM-sponsored soccer club and participates in the Youth Soccer Clinic of the Missoula YMCA.

Magnuson, an interpersonal communications senior, is Montana's state Common Cause Coordinator and a leader in the Missoula League of Women Voters. She is also chairman of the League's committee to revise and update the publication "Know Your Missoula Government"--a reference booklet used by schools and libraries as well as interested citizens.

In addition to her academic and community work, Magnuson is a housewife and the mother of three children.

Kress is the son of Dr. and Mrs. J.E. Kress, Missoula, and Magnuson is married to

William Magnuson.

Other finalists for the Alumni Award of Excellence were Dorothy Beck, senior in home economics and music, Deer Lodge; Tom Jacobsen, senior in philosophy, Spokane, Wash., Suzy Kappes, senior in business administration, Missoula, and Jim Molloy, senior in political science, Great Falls.

###